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Total Claims								
23	-	22	=	1	x	18.00	=	\$18.00
Independent Claims								
2	-	3	=	0	x	0.00	=	\$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE								\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE								18.00

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